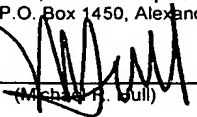


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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the office action mailed on September 22, 2004, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begins on page 8 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims and a complete listing of the claims begin on page 9 of this paper.

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